The Value of Summer Learning

Summer Slide
The Faucet Theory
- Math & reading loss
- High school & college attendance
- Diminished quality of life

The Library plays a special role in the summer
Summer Stride versus Summer Slide!
- High quality programs increase engagement
- Exploration of library materials foster a lifelong love of reading
- Community partnerships and outreach provide access to resources for historically marginalized and underserved families
Sendy Santamaria is an illustrator and author from San Diego based in San Pablo, California. She grew up along both sides of the border between San Diego and Tijuana. Her debut picture book, *Yenebi’s Drive to School* (Chronicle Books, 2023), highlights her commute from Tijuana to San Diego to go to school every weekday. She is inspired by migration, perseverance, pigeons and love.

Check out her work: [Website] | [Instagram]
Meet Sendy!

**Friends of the SFPL Block Party and Book Sale**
June 1, 1 p.m. (exact time TBD)

**Bilingual Story Hour with the Bookmobile**
June 4, 10:30 a.m., Garfield Park

**Author-Illustrator Talk with YELL Interns**
June 18, 12 p.m., Main Library, The Mix at SFPL, 2nd Floor

**Studio Artist at SFMOMA Family Day**
July 14 and August 11, 10:30 a.m. – 3 p.m., SFMOMA

**Library Day**
July 27, 11 a.m., San Francisco Botanical Gardens, Great Meadow

**NPS Shuttle**
August 10, 11 a.m. (exact time TBD), Excelsior Branch to Presidio Tunnel Tops, Field Station

**Summer Stride Exhibition Featuring Sendy Santamaria**
June–September 8, Main Library, 2nd Floor Mezzanine
Summer Stride Overview

- June 1 through September 1
- Learning Goal: All ages – 20 hours
- All reading, learning, listening & library time count!
- **NEW THIS YEAR!** Two ways to participate! Tracker for all ages & abilities, or Bingo board for Adults/Teens
- 1 online database: Beanstack
- **NEW THIS YEAR!** Finishers can choose one of two prize items: tote or zipper pouch!
- Free Books for youth
- Monthly Raffle at each location
- Teen leadership & volunteer programs
- Programming and booklists for all ages
- NPS Fieldtrips
## NPS Shuttle Fieldtrips

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Monthly Raffle

Each library location will have a monthly raffle during the summer months: June, July, and August. Drawings will be on the last day of each month. Here are some prizes we will be offering:
Community Outreach
Paid Presenter & Librarian-led Programs
TEENS: LEADERSHIP AND VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

SF YouthWorks applications closed April 12.
6-week program: June 17–August 4
YELL Sites: BAY, CHI, EXC, NBE, NVA, POR, RIC, SUN, WPO, The Mix
Support Sites: BHE, MAR, MER, PSI, VVA
Teen interns create, present & deliver an in-person program in July
Teen interns earn an hourly wage AND $500 for college savings account
www.sfpl.org/yell

Summer Youth Volunteers
- Applications open now and throughout summer
- Rising 8-12th graders
- Assist with Summer Stride sign-up and other approved activities

Applications Available Now!
- www.sfpl.org/summerstride
- themixatsfpl.org/jobs-and-volunteer
The Bingo Card

Instructions: Complete any row (across, down, diagonal) to receive your Summer Stride finishing prize!

Final design will include fill-in-the-blank space for people to share their Summer Stride experience.

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NEW! Adult + Teen Summer Stride Guide

Teases a selection of Summer Stride adult and teen events

Also calls out popular Library services that might be popular for the summer, such as travel and language resources

Pssst: the bingo card is on the back cover!

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(415) 531-4400

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Plus A frame signage, building banners, Grove St. banner

The Bookmarks
Free Books

All youth (babies through teens) receive a free book every time they visit the library.

“Equitable home libraries filled with beautiful, affirming, and fun books are critical for our kids. We know summer programs can help in this effort and the enormous vision of equity and access for all our youth.”

Aaron Dworkin, CEO of National Summer Learning Association
Questions?